

La Jolla Area Public Improvements Email Update #5

Week of February 6, 2002

Overview:

This weekly update is provided to share information about project issues and to provide an opportunity for feedback from the Council and the Community. Each week we will keep you updated on the progress of the City of San Diego's La Jolla Area Public Improvements as well as keep you informed about our work with the community. We welcome and encourage feedback as it helps us to work together more effectively. Also, we will continue to add contact names to the distribution list as people express an interest in receiving this information. For ease of reading, this report is organized into the following categories:

- Construction schedule addressed in this report
- Construction status this week
- Community involvement, outreach and information

Construction schedule addressed in this report

This email report provides information about the following projects:

Torrey Pines Road Water and Sewer Main Replacement Project	Dec 2001-Summer 2002
Ardath Road Improvements:	
-Tree relocation	June 2001- Jan 2002
-Road Realignment and Water/Sewer Replacement	April 2002 – April 2003
Torrey Pines/La Jolla Boulevard Water Main Replacement Phase II	Currently in design phase

Construction status for the week:

Torrey Pines Road Water and Sewer Main Replacement Project

Last week, inclement weather prevented SDG&E from finishing the project as previously scheduled. Therefore, during the week of 2/4, San Diego Gas and Electric Co. (SDG&E) will be wrapping up its gas line relocation work on Torrey Pines Road.

After SDG&E completes its work, BRH-Garver will have the green light to start working on Torrey Pines Road. BRH-Garver is expecting to start potholing during the week of 2/4 and is scheduled to begin replacing the antiquated water main along Torrey Pines Road around the same time.

Ardath Road Improvements:

a) Torrey Pines Relocation:

Crews have removed 17 Torrey Pines trees. These trees will be cared for in the interim and reincorporated into the landscape during the final project phase, scheduled for Spring 2003.

b) Road Realignment and Water/Sewer Work in this Project Area

Currently, the City has issued an RFP for this project and contractors are preparing and submitting their proposals. The Project Management Team anticipates opening these bids in late February. Once a contractor is selected and their work sequence approved, this report will begin to include information about the sequence of work for the Ardath similar to the information provided currently regarding the Torrey Pines Water and Sewer Main Replacement Project.

Community Involvement, Outreach and Information:

Community Information Hotline: 619 533 7539

Calls are coming into the hotline that was established for these projects. The line is checked twice a day and the calls are directed to the appropriate team member who then returns the call. In general, the community has expressed interest in the coordination of these projects and the road realignment project as it impacts on traffic speed, safety and circulation patterns.

Websites:

Our team is also coordinating with webmasters for Council District 1 as well as the City's Water Department so that project maps, newsletters and these email reports can be accessed via the web. We anticipate that this information will be available electronically within the next 4 weeks.

Bi Monthly Newsletter

Our Public Information teams are working on the information to include in the next monthly newsletter. The first newsletter was sent on December 27, 2001 to 12, 257 businesses and residences. This second newsletter is schedule for distribution in late February.

Should you have any questions or concerns about this update or the La Jolla Area Public Improvements in general, please do not hesitate to call me.

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